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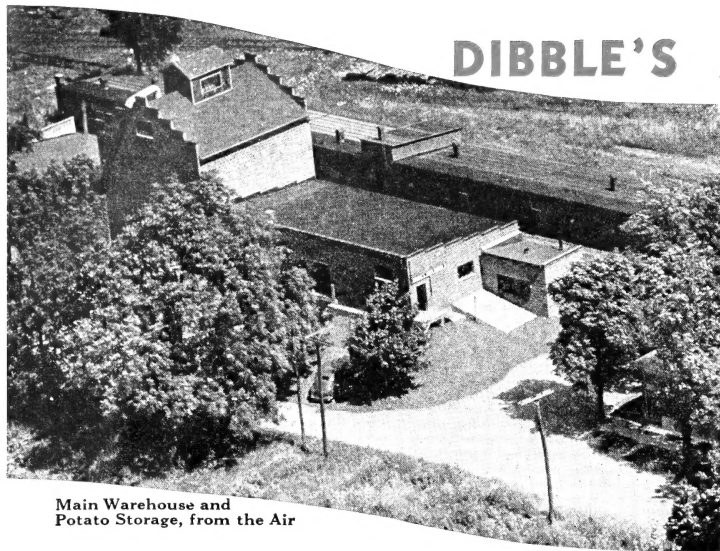
# DIBBLE'S

*Farm Seed Facts*  
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# DIBBLE'S *Annual Catalog* for 1944



Main Warehouse and  
Potato Storage, from the Air

OUR friends and customers in the territory which we serve have been familiar with the name of Dibble ever since 1891. That name has been associated with the very best farm seeds on the market. When the business was founded, these words were used to express our policy: "FARM SEEDS AND FARM SEEDS ONLY: ONE GRADE AND THAT THE BEST OBTAINABLE AT THE LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH THE HIGHEST POSSIBLE QUALITY."

For more than a half century we have relied upon that motto to introduce us to potential customers. More and more farmers in our region have discovered for themselves that these words are backed up by facts, for through good years and bad, through boom-times, wars, and depressions, Dibble's Farm Seeds have continued to live up to their hard-won reputation. A name held in such high esteem is one to guard—and we do not propose to lower our standards now.

D. S. DIBBLE, Pres. HARWOOD MARTIN, V.-Pres.-Treas. CLAIR L. MOREY, Sec.

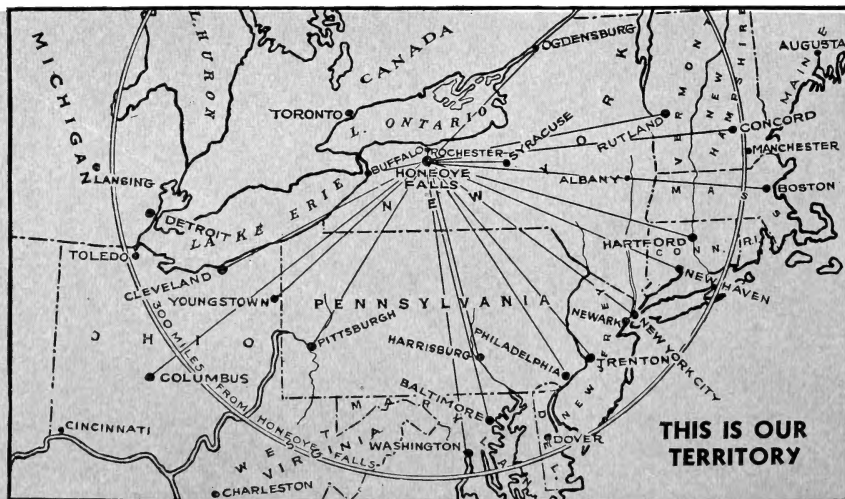
There probably is not one phase of American business which has not by this time been affected by the war, and farming in particular has had enormous strains put upon it. With many former food-producers either in the armed forces or in defense factories, and with an unprecedented demand being made for more and more food-production, farmers are being pushed to the limit. This means that they must be surer than ever that every seed they plant will be cleaned and tested, and suited to their soil and climate.

In spite of the difficulties which we are encountering, we are continuing to maintain our Seed-testing Laboratory. Every crop of seed we handle is still tested before we send it out. This is your assurance that Dibble's Seeds are as good as ever.

One warning we cannot overemphasize: because of the shortages of some seed crops and the slowness of wartime handling, it is most important that *orders be placed early*. Last year many of our old customers were disappointed because they waited too long. If you will cooperate by ordering early, we shall do our utmost to give you our usual service.

## CONDITIONS OF SALE

We assume responsibility that the seeds or tubers reach the purchaser in good condition. We offer to refund the purchase price of any seeds or tubers found by tests to be unsatisfactory to you within ten days after the seeds or tubers reach you. In common with all responsible seedsmen we give no warranty, express or implied, as to the productiveness of any seeds or tubers we sell and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. Our liability in all instances is limited to the purchase price of the seeds or tubers.





# The Plain Truth About The 1944 Farm-Seed Situation

All figures relating to the production of crops harvested in 1943 are taken from the final Government Crop Report issued December 17, 1943, by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Crop production in the United States in 1943 was 6% less than in 1942 but nearly 5% more than in any previous season. This is a wonderful contribution to the war effort by the American farmer and was accomplished in spite of shortages of skilled men, of supplies and equipment, and also delays from wet weather and floods.

The crop season of 1943 brought the usual disappointments to some areas, but taking the country as a whole, the growing season was better than average.

**ALFALFA SEED:** The production of Alfalfa seed in 1943 for the entire country is estimated at 1,114,900 bushels of thresher-run seed. This is 15% larger than the short crop of 1942 but is 3% smaller than the ten-year average. The increase over 1942 is attributed to more acres harvested in 1943, chiefly in the West North Central States.

**SWEET CLOVER SEED:** The production of Sweet Clover seed in 1943 is the smallest since 1922 and is only about one-half the ten-year average. Fewer acres were harvested for seed and the yield was about 10% below average.

**MEDIUM AND MAMMOTH RED CLOVER:** With a 15% greater acreage of Red Clover seed than in 1942, the estimated production of 1,142,900 bushels is 11% larger than the 1942 crop of 1,026,100 bushels but 6% smaller than the ten-year average. The increase in acreage over 1942 occurred largely in Wisconsin and Michigan.

**ALSIKE CLOVER SEED:** The 1943 production of Alsike Clover seed, estimated at 238,900 bushels, is 5% smaller than the 1942 crop and 25% smaller than the ten-year average. Only in the most Northern producing States did the 1943 production exceed that of 1942.

**TIMOTHY SEED:** Production of Timothy seed, estimated at 1,499,600 bushels, is 11% smaller than the 1942 crop and 6% below the ten-year average. A smaller acreage was harvested for seed.

**NOTE:** In September of 1943 the above seeds were brought under price control by the Office of Price Administration in order to check the rapid price increases that were developing. They are all selling at ceiling prices except Timothy, which will probably approach the ceiling price.

**SEED BARLEY:** Total production of Barley in 1943 is estimated at 322,187,000 bushels. This is 25% less than the record crop of 1942. In New York State the Barley crop was a near failure and very little of the Alpha variety will be available for seed. On the advice of our Plant Breeding Department we are offering Hannchen 2-Rowed Barley as a substitute for Alpha.

**SEED OATS:** The 1,143,867,000 bushels of Oats produced in the United States in 1943 is above the ten-year average but 15% below the bumper crop of 1942. In New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan, and Ohio the planting of Oats was seriously hampered by excessive and prolonged rains during the spring. The small acreage that was planted in these States produced very poor yields and a serious shortage developed. Seed Oats are scarce and some varieties are off the market.

**SEED CORN:** The 1943 Corn crop (second largest on record) totals 3,076,159,000 bushels. Corn raised for seed is a small percentage of the total. The production of Seed Corn is a specialized business, especially since the introduction of Hybrid Corn. Corn was planted late and we had a poor fall for drying. Good Seed Corn is not plentiful and some varieties are in very short supply.

## The 1943 Crop of Potatoes

The crop of 1943, estimated at 464,656,000 bushels, is the largest on record. The acreage was 23% greater than that of 1942. The Potato growers were successful in meeting the Government's desire for an increased acreage and were favored by a good growing season. We are fortunate in having this wonderful crop and should try to produce a record crop in 1944. There is a good demand for Potatoes. Ceilings have been established on Seed Potatoes and in all probability the supply of seed will move at these ceiling prices.



*The increased demand for all foods will require the use of all seed stocks on hand. Orders should be placed well in advance of planting-time.*

*We urge our customers to place their orders as early as possible and get their seed stocks on the farm well in advance of planting-time. We feel that this is more important than ever before.*

# Hay Mixtures and Emergency Hay Crops

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## Maximum Crop of Hay on Average Good Soils

		Acres	Rate of Seeding Lbs.	Qts.
Red Clover		15	7 1/2	
Alsike Clover		10	5	
Red Clover	{ Mixed }	8	4	
Alsike Clover		4	2	
Alsike Clover	{ Mixed }	8	4	
Timothy		8	6	
Red Clover	{ Mixed }	10	5	
Timothy		8	6	
Red Clover	{ Mixed }	6	3	
Alsike Clover		4	2	
Timothy		8	6	
Alfalfa	{ Mixed }	6	3	
Red Clover		4	2	
Alsike Clover		2	1	
Timothy		6	4	
Alfalfa	{ Mixed }	8	4	
Timothy		8	6	
Red Clover	{ Mixed }	3	1 1/2	
Alsike Clover		5	2 1/2	
Timothy		5	4	
Red Top		3	6	
Birdsfoot Trefoil	{ Mixed }	4	2	
Timothy		12	9	
Alfalfa, alone		15	8	
Alfalfa, on wheat or with spring grain		19	10	
Sweet Clover		15	8	

## EMERGENCY HAY CROPS

*If you are short of hay for this coming season, we suggest that you use some of the following quick hay crops*

Two bushels of **Oats** and one bushel of **Canada Field Peas** per acre, sown as early in the spring as possible, constitutes about the best catch hay crop eastern farmers can plant. Cut for hay when Oats are in early milk stage. Seedings may be put out with this mixture, thereby causing no upsetting of the rotation.

**SWEET CLOVER**, sown with Oats on well-limed land, may be tall enough to cut with Oats, improving its protein content, and may be cut or pastured later.

**SOY BEANS** make an emergency hay crop, having a feeding value similar to Alfalfa. Inoculate Soy Beans. Drill shallow, on a good seed-bed, after corn-planting time, when weather is warm. Sow 6 to 8 pecks per acre if drilled solid, or 2 to 4 pecks in close rows. Cut after pods form and before leaves start to fall.

**SUDAN GRASS**, drilled at the rate of 20 to 25 pounds per acre soon after corn-planting, makes considerable amount of hay. Cut when just headed out. It will sprout up and make pasture or a second crop of hay.

**MILLETS** are reliable producers and will make a crop in 60 to 80 days. Sow 50 pounds Golden or Hungarian Millet to the acre, or 20 pounds of Japanese, the latter in moist soil. Do not sow till weather is warm, and cut for hay just before the seed forms.

# DIBBLE'S GRASS MIXTURES

## PERMANENT

Most pastures are not supplying the amount of feed for farm livestock that they should. This is due either to the lack of fertility or lack of the proper pasture plants. Pastures should not be considered idle



## PASTURES

land and left to care for themselves.

In coöperation with the Department of Agronomy, New York State College of Agriculture, we are offering the following recommended Pasture Mixture for 1944.

### Cornell General-Purpose Pasture Mixture

Timothy.....	6 lbs.
Kentucky Blue Grass.....	6 lbs.
Alfalfa.....	5 lbs.
Medium Red Clover.....	2 lbs.
Ladino White Clover.....	1 lb.

Total for seeding an acre, 20 lbs.

This mixture should be used on fertile soil, not droughty, supplied with lime and adapted for alfalfa. It may be seeded alone or with a companion grain crop. Hay or summer silage may be cut for one or two years and then used exclusively for pasture, or it may be pastured from the beginning.

### Cornell Special Pasture Mixture

Timothy.....	6 lbs.
Kentucky Blue Grass.....	10 lbs.
Canada Blue Grass.....	2 lbs.
Perennial Ryegrass.....	4 lbs.
Yellow Trefoil.....	2 lbs.
Wild White Clover.....	1 lb.

Total for seeding an acre, 25 lbs.

This is a mixture for fertile but not droughty soils. Seeding should be made in April or early May, without a nurse crop. A seed-bed should be prepared by plowing and harrowing and an adequate application of 20 per cent super-phosphate should be used before seeding. Distribute the seed evenly and cover lightly. This mixture should be used exclusively for grazing.

Under wartime conditions the supply of Yellow Trefoil, and specified varieties of Perennial Ryegrass may be insufficient to meet the demand. It is suggested that Kentucky Blue Grass be substituted for Perennial Ryegrass, and two pounds of Yellow Trefoil be replaced by ½ pound Wild White Clover.

Farmers who wish to use New York Wild Birdsfoot Trefoil in this mixture are advised to add two pounds of inoculated seed immediately before seeding.

### Cornell Utility Pasture Mixture

Timothy.....	6 lbs.
Red-Top.....	2 lbs.
Kentucky Blue Grass.....	4 lbs.
Canada Blue Grass.....	2 lbs.
Mammoth Red Clover.....	3 lbs.
Alsike Clover.....	2 lbs.
Ladino White Clover.....	1 lb.

Total for seeding an acre, 20 lbs.

This mixture should be used where the fertility is low to medium and the soil is not suited to alfalfa. It may be seeded either alone or with a companion grain crop. Hay or summer silage may be cut for one or two years and then used for pasture, or it may be pastured throughout the season from the beginning.

### Cornell Ladino-Grass Mixture

Orchard Grass.....	8 lbs.
Timothy.....	6 lbs.
Ladino White Clover.....	2 lbs.

Total for seeding an acre, 16 lbs.

This mixture is valuable for late summer or all season grazing. It is suited to a wide range of soil conditions but should not be seeded on extremely wet, dry, or poor soil. It is well suited for silage but unsatisfactory for hay.

### Cornell Poultry Pasture Mixture

Kentucky Blue Grass.....	12 lbs.
Timothy.....	6 lbs.
Ladino White Clover.....	2 lbs.

Total for seeding an acre, 20 lbs.

This mixture should be used in the establishment of pastures for poultry.

For areas too wet for other pasture grasses, use 8 pounds of Reed's Canary Grass per acre. If the soil is not actually swampy add 2 pounds of Ladino Clover per acre.

## LAWN GRASS MIXTURES

Seed the lawn in early spring or early fall. We list two mixtures for various conditions:

A well-kept lawn is a joy to any home-owner and will actually increase the value of his property. Good lawns once established will last a lifetime.

Dibble's Lawn Grass Mixtures are superior in quality because they are composed of only those grasses found to be suitable for the best lawns in New York and adjoining states, and only the highest grade of these individual grasses is used.

### Dibble's Red, White, and Blue Lawn Mixture

Contains only the highest grades of Kentucky Blue Grass, White Clover, and Red-Top, mixed in the proper proportions. This has proved to be the best Lawn Mixture for any locality where Kentucky Blue Grass thrives, regardless of fancy names or cost. Sow 5 pounds per 1000 square feet.

### Dibble's Shady Lawn Mixture

Rough-stalked Meadow Grass (*Poa trivialis*) is included in this mixture because it is the best grass for heavy, moist soil, or in moist shade. New Zealand Chewing's Fescue is also included because it does well in dry shade or sandy soils where other grasses fail. Sow 5 pounds per 1000 square feet.

The above Lawn Mixtures can be furnished without White Clover, if so desired, at the same price

Should you desire any other special mixture, kindly send us specifications and let us quote

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# DIBBLE'S Northern-Grown ALFALFA SEED

Buy Alfalfa Seed from Alfalfa Growers  
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**D**IBBLE'S Alfalfa Seed, grown in the cold states adjoining Canada, is absolutely hardy, producing perfect, permanent seedlings when other seed fails.

Alfalfa is the most wonderful and productive plant of the clover family. It will grow on any good corn or wheat land, or on any soil that will give a good catch of clover. Once established, it is very hardy, sinking its roots deeply after moisture and nourishment, and the severest drought or coldest weather will not kill it.

Grows 3 to 4 feet high, can be cut two or three times each season, and produces four to five tons of hay to the acre. A ton of well-cured Alfalfa equals a ton of wheat-bran. With corn fodder or ensilage, it makes an ideal feed for milch cows or steers, and horses thrive on it when fed intelligently with a proper grain ration.

If you are contemplating growing Alfalfa, our Alfalfa book tells you just how to grow it, and we can furnish you the same varieties we have found successful on our own farms. A field well set to Alfalfa will last from ten to twenty years.

We sell Alfalfa subject to your test, the test of your State Experiment Station, or that of the United States Department of Agriculture. Keep your seed ten days, and if you are not convinced that it is as good as we say, return it at once; we will refund your money and pay the freight both ways.

We use all reasonable care in packing and sending out our Alfalfa Seed, but, as so many circumstances may arise after it leaves our possession, over which we have no control, we therefore do not guarantee, nor will we be responsible for the crop.

## Dibble's SEED FARMS... Headquarters for Alfalfa Seed

Every bushel is northern-grown, hardy, acclimated, and the only kind to insure success on northern farms, the kind we use to produce what has been called by farm experts "the best 100 acres of Alfalfa this side of the Rocky Mountains."

Alfalfa seed from the Far North is never too plentiful. Hardy northern seed is always in demand and should not be compared with cheaper southern seed. Insist on DIBBLE'S D. B. BRAND. A good stand of Alfalfa on a field doubles its value.

**Grimm and Canadian Variegated Alfalfa.** Extremely hardy. Recommended for use in the seeding of most Alfalfa fields in New York and adjoining states. Experimental results generally justify its use.

**Common Alfalfa.** May be used on natural Alfalfa soils of the East where Common Alfalfa has grown successfully and where it is to be left down only two or three years.

D. B. Alfalfa, 99.50 per cent pure or better; the best obtainable. Average analysis of all our D. B. Brand Alfalfa Seed sold during the last ten years was above 99.60 per cent pure and dodder-free.

SAMPLES AND SPECIAL PRICE-LIST FREE

# D. B. Brand TIMOTHY and CLOVER SEED



*"The Cream of the Crop"*  
99.50% Pure or Better

Every Bushel American Northern-Grown



**T**HE hay crop is the most important one on the livestock farm and, next to silage corn, hay produces the greatest quantity of total digestible nutrients to the acre. Every farmer should be sure of a good supply of high-quality hay because it will reduce the grain bill and increase the check for livestock products.

We feel that the first essential in getting a good yield of high-quality hay is to seed a mixture of grasses and legumes that are adapted to the soil. There is no magic in mixture making but there is a vast difference in the quality of the seeds used. The safest thing to do is to use our D. B. Brand and be sure of the highest quality that money can buy.

Compare quality and prices and we will have your order; in fact, we have scores of letters from farmers who testify to the superior quality of D. B. Clover and Timothy and who also saved from fifty cents to several dollars per bushel by buying from us.

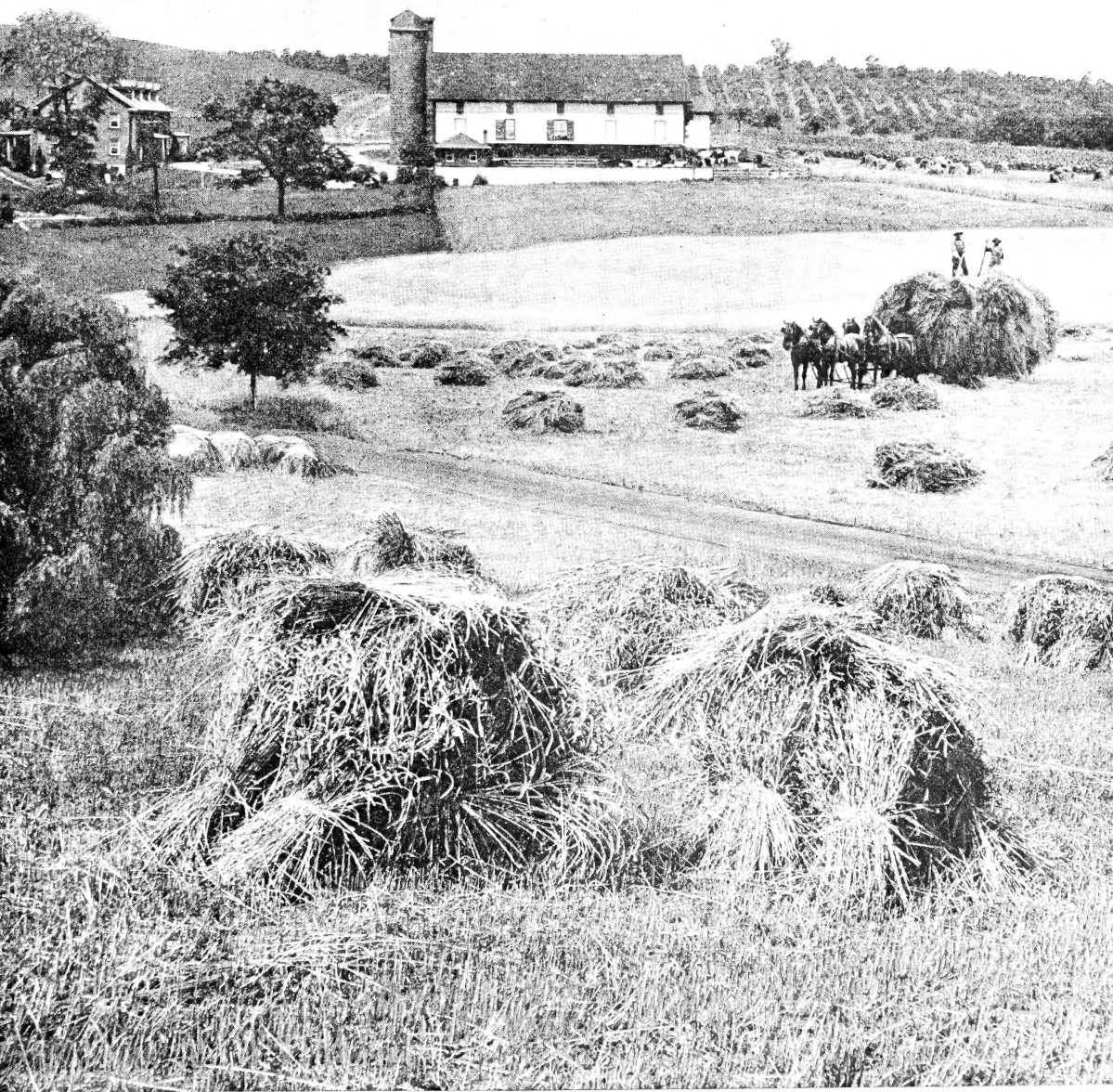
Notwithstanding the fact that our seeds are tested in our own laboratory, we sell our D. B. Brand Seeds subject to your test, the test of your State Experiment Station, or that of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Keep your seed ten days after arrival, test it as you wish, and if you are not convinced that it is as good as we say it is, return it at once; we will refund your money and pay the freight both ways. Samples free.

We use reasonable care in packing and sending out our Clover and Timothy Seed, but as so many circumstances may arise after they leave our possession, over which we have no control, we therefore do not guarantee nor will we be responsible for the crop.

We have purchased seed from you for over thirty years and never had a failure. Keep the good work up.—RICHARD D. QUINN, Supt., Orange City Home, Orange, N. J.

I want to tell you that we are very pleased with all of the seed we have purchased from you. About 5 years ago we had to purchase as much as \$800 worth of hay in one year; for the past two years we have been seeding Dibble's Alfalfa and Timothy and this year our problem is where to store our hay. We have had very fine results.—MELVIN E. KREYMER, R. F. D. 1, Warwick, N. Y.



**Q**UALITY counts always, but is perhaps better demonstrated in seeds than in any other product. The painstaking tests carried on in our laboratory have resulted in farm seeds that are among the most reliable in America today. We are proud to put the name of Dibble upon them. Fields of wheat, hay, and oats like those in the above picture do not grow accidentally. High-quality seed is essential to produce crops like these.



**WE** CONTINUE our well-known policy of handling just one grade of seeds, and that the best money will buy; nothing else goes into our warehouse, and nothing but the best can therefore go out to our customers.

The average analysis of D. B. Brand Clover and Grass Seeds at various experiment stations was above 99.60 per cent purity. Part of the samples were drawn by the official inspectors, some sent direct by us, and one-half were made for our customers.

Thoroughly cleaned seed of high germination, and from regions adapted for sowing in your territory, is the kind you want to sow on your farm.

The War Department is allowing but very little nitrogen in commercial fertilizers. The Clovers and other Legumes will put atmospheric nitrogen in the soil for you. Sow them liberally, and use Dibble's D. B. Brand.

**Sweet Clover.** Biennial white blossom is the commonest type of Sweet Clover, and the one which has come to the front so rapidly in recent years for forage, pasture, and soil-improvement. It will grow in almost any climate and on almost any type of soil, thriving on land too poor for Alfalfa or Red Clover.

**Medium Red Clover.** The common Red Clover largely grown throughout the country. This Clover requires well-drained soils to make its best growth, and is especially suitable to rich bottom-lands or soils that have been heavily fertilized. If cut early it is easily possible in a good season to get two or three cuttings.

**Mammoth Red Clover.** Compared with the Medium Red Clover, its flower, foliage, and stems are of darker color; it is later in maturing and of larger growth. When grown on rich bottom-lands or heavily fertilized soil, it makes a very rank growth and often is very coarse; hence the names Sapling Clover, Big Clover, or Pea-vine Clover. One of the best soiling crops. It is recommended for soils of ordinary or low productivity because here it will make a growth similar to Medium Clover on more fertile soils. A good stand of Mammoth Clover will last from 2 to 7 years, depending on conditions. Being 10 to 14 days later than Medium Clover, it will mature with Timothy.

**Alsike Clover.** The hardiest of all Clovers; perennial. On rich, moist soils it yields enormous crops. Its greatest value is for sowing with other Clovers and grasses and it is especially suited to sowing with Timothy.

**Ladino Clover.** Ladino is a very large species of the ordinary White Dutch Clover. It is more definitely perennial in type than either Red or Alsike and is used quite successfully in pasture mixtures and in hay mixtures where the aftermath is to be grazed.

**White Dutch Clover.** This is a low-growing Clover that spreads by sending out creeping stems that root at the joints. It is not adapted for hay but is used chiefly in pasture and lawn mixtures. On acid soils it quickly disappears.

**Wild White Clover.** It is a wild form of the cultivated White Dutch Clover and a true perennial. On sweet soils it will survive indefinitely without reseeding. Its chief use is in the better grades of pasture and lawn mixtures.

**Timothy.** Most valuable of all the grasses, especially in the North. It is better adapted to clay than to sandy soils and is at its best on moist and fertile soils.

**Red-Top.** No other grass will grow under as great a variety of conditions as Red-Top and will thrive on almost every type of soil except sand. It is a rapid grower and is chiefly used as a wet-land or sour-land hay-crop, often in combination with Alsike and as a pasture grass on damp soils not sweet enough for Kentucky Blue Grass.

**Kentucky Blue Grass.** This is the most valuable grass for permanent pastures and lawns. It is hardy and thrives under heavy grazing. Soils of the moderately moist, medium to heavy types which produce the best Timothy are well suited for Kentucky Blue Grass.

**Orchard Grass.** A long-lived perennial that gets its name from its ability to grow in the partial shade of orchards and open woodlots. Its principal use is for pasture and hay under shady conditions. Also adapted to very dry conditions.

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### THE BARGAIN OF THE GRASS SEED TRADE

A boon to farmers wanting High-Grade Seeds at a Money-Saving Price. What they are, where they come from

AN IDEAL SEEDING for 10 ACRES. 2 bushels of Timothy-*Alsike* Mixture plus 1 bushel of Medium or Mammoth Clover

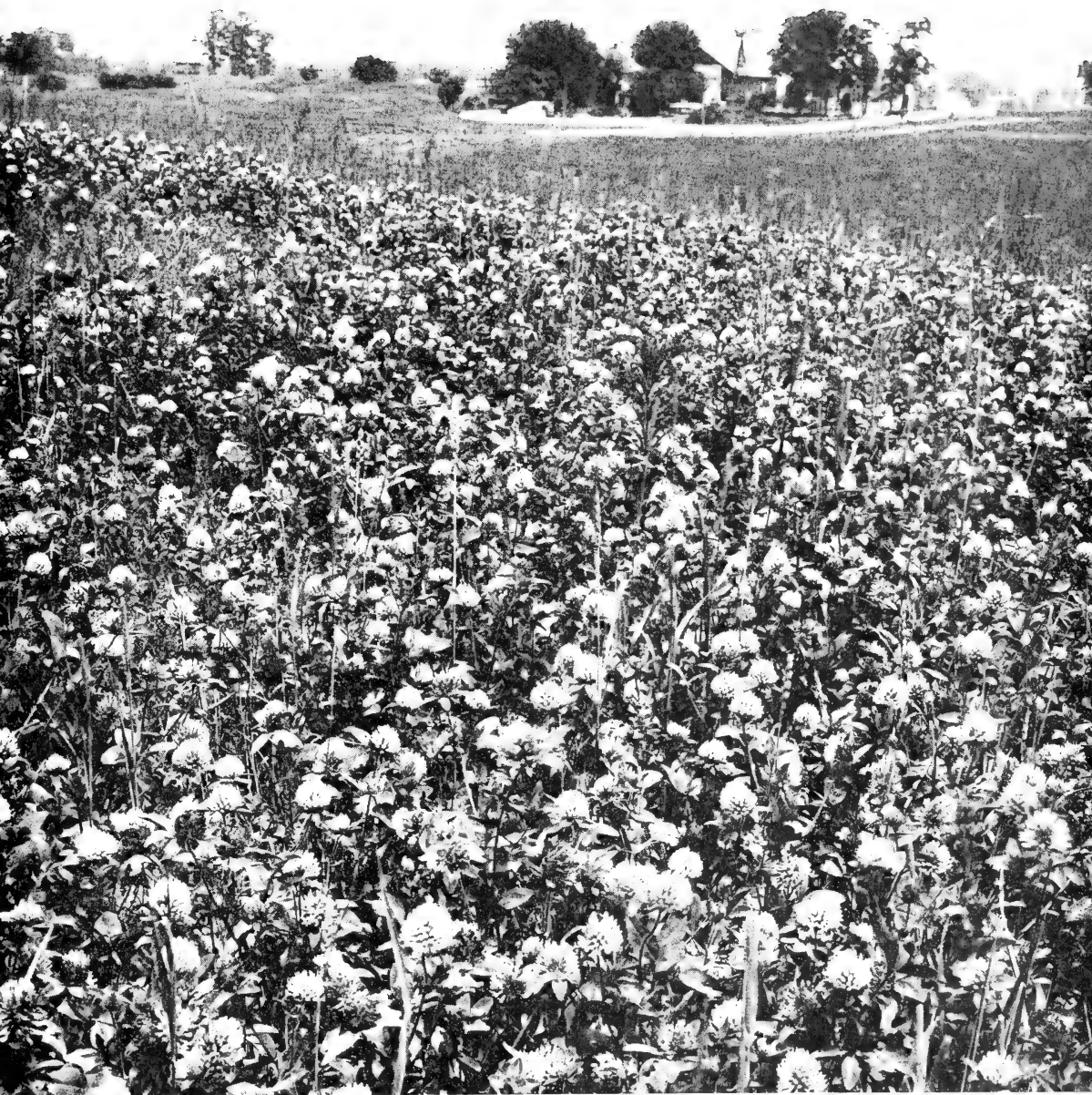
**I**N SOME of the northwestern states, especially Minnesota, and in certain sections of Canada, *Alsike* and Timothy grow naturally together, ripen at the same time, are harvested and threshed, and as the seed grains of *Alsike* and Timothy are practically of the same size, the two varieties cannot be separated.

We frequently are able to buy round lots of these fancy Mixtures containing 20 per cent or more of *Alsike* at only slightly higher prices than for the best Timothy, and as we pass these seeds on to you at our usual small margin of profit, you get the *Alsike* you need in your seeding Mixture at a little above the regular *Timothy* Price. And then by adding the required amount of our D. B. Medium and Mammoth Clovers, you have

an ideal Mixture and save money on every acre you seed down.

This is briefly the story of the Natural Mixture. Now these Mixtures are good, bad, and indifferent and no one should buy a Mixture of any kind without a positive guarantee from a responsible seller as to the purity and also the percentage of each variety of seed in the Mixture. We sell just one grade—the best—and give, on our guarantee tag attached to each bag, the purity, germination, and percentage of *Alsike* and Timothy in this particular Mixture. The quantity of the two principal seeds may vary in different lots, but in all cases you will find "less than  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1 per cent of weed seeds."

Beware of the Ordinary Timothy-*Alsike* Mixtures



## Nitrogen is the one plant-food you CAN grow!

For best growth, and to put atmospheric nitrogen in the soil, it pays to inoculate all legumes. The cost is trivial compared with the profit. Legumes are clovers, peas and beans, alfalfa, soy beans, vetches, and other plants that grow seeds in a pod. Their roots are the home of bacteria that draw fertility-building nitrogen from the air and store it in swellings on the roots, called nodules. These nodules not only feed nitrogen to the crop they are on, but rot in the ground and supply valuable nitrogen to the soil.

Commercial Nitrogen for use in fertilizer is being restricted because it is needed in the manufacture of explosives. It is therefore more important than ever to inoculate all Legumes this year and build up the nitrogen supply in your soil from the air.

# NOD-O-GEN *The Pre-tested INOCULATOR*

*When ordering cultures specify kind of seed to be inoculated*

### FOR CLOVERS

Medium, Mammoth, Alsike and White	
1-bus. size	\$0.50
2 1/2-bus. size	1.00

### FOR SOY BEANS

2-bus. size	\$0.30
5-bus. size	.55
10-bus. size	1.00
30-bus. size	3.00

### FOR ALFALFA and SWEET CLOVER

1-bus. size	\$0.50
2 1/2-bus. size	1.00

### FOR VETCH and PEA

1-bus. size	\$0.35
100-lb. size	.55





# Dibble's Seed Oats

## HEAVYWEIGHT . . .

### The Heaviest American Oat Grown

While in search of new varieties of Oats of value in the Northwest, where the best Oats are grown, we found, in Wyoming, several fields of a new variety with tall, stiff straw standing shoulder high and the heaviest American Oat grown. When these fields were threshed, the yield was over 100 bushels per acre and the weight over 45 pounds per measured bushel of pure white, thin-hulled grain. We purchased the entire lot, and from this source secured our stock seed of this, in our opinion, the heaviest and most productive American Oat. This was some twenty years ago. During that time we have distributed over 600,000 bushels to our customers, and, wherever grown, it has given wonderful yields in comparison with other varieties grown alongside: Around 100 bushels to the acre in New Jersey; 117 bushels in New England; in New York, on large areas, 80, 82, 87, 89, 92, and up to 106 bushels, where the average yield is 30 bushels; and in Ohio, crops averaging "just twice" the yield of common Oats have been reported to us by our customers.

We were fortunate in having our Heavyweight Oats grown in a locality where weather conditions were favorable for growth and harvesting. Therefore we have an excellent quality to offer our customers.

Dibble's Heavyweight Oats have made wonderful yields for a large number of our customers in many states. We read of remarkable records and big yields of Oats in the western states, under irrigation, but right here, in the East, Dibble's Heavyweight Oats have produced record-breaking crops. Average weight 40 pounds per measured bushel. Use Dibble's Heavy Weight Oats for your 1944 planting.

**FREE SAMPLES ON REQUEST**

## LENROC . . .

Lenroc is a new variety of Oat introduced by the Cornell University Agricultural Experiment Station. The plant breeders at Cornell were endeavoring to produce white Oats that had the high-yielding ability of the Cornelian. This was accomplished by crossing Great American with Cornelian in 1918, and for seventeen years this Oat was tested in various localities for yield, stiffness of straw, and other desirable characteristics before it was introduced in 1935.

Lenroc is midseason in maturing and is the highest yielding Oat that has been developed at Cornell. It has a large plump white kernel and all the characteristics of a desirable Oat, either for feeding or for sale.

The supply of Lenroc Oats for seed is very limited this year. Weather conditions prevented normal planting in the spring of 1943. Our own small supply of Lenroc Oats was sold out before this Catalog was issued.

## CORNELIAN . . .

Cornelian was introduced by the Cornell Agricultural Experiment Station about twenty-three years ago. It has proved to be a heavy and consistent yielder and is especially well suited to soils of ordinary fertility. The kernels are more slender than those of other varieties and lack awns or beards, but in spite of their apparently small size, the meat is actually larger than that of most Oats, for the hull is very thin. The normal color of the kernel is gray and will vary from light gray to dark gray, depending on the soil and season. As a commercial Oat this dark color is somewhat objectionable but for feeding on the farm it is of no importance. Cornelian's high meat percentage gives it a distinct advantage as a feed for stock and poultry and its high-yielding ability makes it a favorite with those who have planted it.

The supply of Cornelian Oats for seed is very limited. Weather conditions prevented the harvesting of a normal crop. Our own supply of Cornelian Oats was sold out before this Catalog was issued.



## DIBBLE'S OATS

are sold subject to the  
following guarantee

We guarantee our Seed Oats thoroughly re-cleaned by the best mills known to the trade, and in first-class condition for sowing. Keep our Seed Oats ten days, test them, and if not entirely satisfactory in every way, return them at once and get your money back.

We use all reasonable care in packing and sending out our Seed Oats, but as so many circumstances may arise after they leave our possession, over which we have no control, we do not guarantee, nor will we be responsible for the crop grown from any of our seeds.

Owing to the extra-heavy weight of these Oats, not less than 2½ to 3 bushels should be sown per acre. For prices, see Special Price-List.

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**New Improved Ceresan.** Ethyl mercury phosphate dry disinfectant for the control of seed-borne stinking smut of wheat, smuts of oats, covered smut, black loose smut and stripe of barley. One pound treats 32 bushels.



## DIBBLE'S SEED OATS

The Oat crop of 1943, in most sections of the Northeast, was very disappointing. Wet weather prevented a normal planting and low yields were the general rule. The seed crops of Lenroc and Cornelian Oats were nearly a failure in our locality. Fortunately, we raised our Heavyweight Oats in a section where conditions were favorable and as a result we will have a good supply of this high-yielding Oat to offer our customers. If you have never raised Dibble's Heavyweight Oats, try them this year.

## DIBBLE'S SEED OATS IN ALASKA

In far-off Alaska, Dibble's Heavyweight Oats have also given exceptionally good results, as the picture to the left plainly shows.

It shows the adaptability of our Oats in other parts of the country outside our Northeastern States. You, too, should use Dibble's Seed Oats, and order early so they can be shipped in plenty of time for early planting.





# DIBBLE'S RUSSET

## THE BEST MAIN-CROP POTATO



**D**IBBLE'S Russet Potatoes are round to oblong, of good size, with pure white flesh, russet skin and few, shallow eyes. The quality is superb, and either baked or boiled is not excelled by any other variety. Dibble's Russet is enormously productive and has all the qualities that make for a profitable market Potato. The tubers are as large, or larger, than Rurals, Carman or Raleigh, and where those sorts set only four or five tubers to a hill, the Russet produces eight, ten, or even twelve big tubers. The vines are strong and disease-resistant.

Dibble's Russet Potato is the original round to oblong type of the Russet family. From its first introduction by us it has been bred absolutely true to type, and our stock seed is saved from fields entirely free from early or late blight, and where the vines were green and healthy until killed by frost. Our customers say that Dibble's Russet carries these inbred qualities to every locality where they are planted, and ninety-nine out of every hundred growers say Dibble's Russet is the best Potato grown.

Dibble's Russet is the Potato for you to grow on your farm. You will find it more profitable and far superior to any other variety for the main Potato crop. Whether you have "Potato soil" or not, you will get a good yield if the soil is in good condition. Sand, gravel, loam, or clay will produce a satisfactory crop. Many customers say the vines are blight-proof, and spraying is not needed; neither do bugs like the foliage, for we have seen thousands of acres of Dibble's Russet where neither Paris green nor arsenate of lead was used, and the vines were perfect.

If you say you "can't grow Potatoes," get a sack of Dibble's Russet this year. Give them a careful trial. We feel sure you will be satisfied, and next season you will be an enthusiastic booster for Dibble's Russet.

In 1912, when we introduced this variety, we had only 1000 barrels to sell. The third year we sold over 11,000 barrels. Never before did a new variety make a name for itself so quickly.

FOR PRICES, SEE SPECIAL PRICE-LIST IN THIS CATALOG

## SEED POTATO GUARANTEE

We guarantee our Seed Potatoes northern-grown, carefully assorted for seed purposes, a strictly first-class sample U. S. Grade No. 1 as to size. While we exercise great care to have our Seed Potatoes pure and reliable, so many circumstances may arise over which we have no control that we do not give any warranty, express or implied, nor will we be responsible for the crops grown therefrom. Customers are to examine their Seed Potatoes immediately on arrival, as they are perishable goods, and, if not entirely satisfactory, advise us at once; otherwise it is mutually agreed between the buyer and seller that they are satisfactory.

**SEMESAN BEL.** Organic mercury dip disinfectant for control of scab and rhizoctonia carried on surface of seed potatoes. Aids in reducing seed-piece decay. 1 lb. treats 60 to 80 bushels of potatoes.

See Special Price-List.



# WHITE POTATOES

## DIBBLE'S *Standard* FOR MAIN CROP

The first five varieties are of the well-known Carman or smooth Rural family, the best-known type of market Potato now in cultivation

### RURAL NEW YORKER No. 2

The first of the late Mr. Carman's introductions that proved to be of great value. The Rural New Yorker No. 2 is a late variety, growing vines dark green in color, upright in habit of growth, with purple blossoms. The tubers are round to oblong, unusually large in size, white in color, eyes near the surface, and it sets, as a rule, only two to four tubers per plant or hill, but usually all large ones.

### CARMAN No. 3

Also originated by Mr. Carman and introduced by him several years later, as an improvement over the No. 2, which it resembles in every respect, except that it sets more heavily in the hill, averaging, with us, three to five tubers per hill and mostly merchantable.

### SIR WALTER RALEIGH

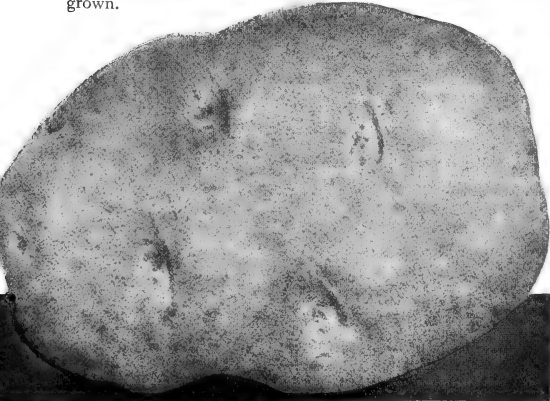
The last of the Carman creations and introduced by Peter Henderson & Co. some thirty years ago. The Sir Walter Raleigh is similar to the other two but has, in our opinion, the most desirable quality of setting more tubers per hill and smaller in size, no large or overgrown tubers at all, but of desirable size and shape to command the top price in the best markets.

### HEAVYWEIGHT

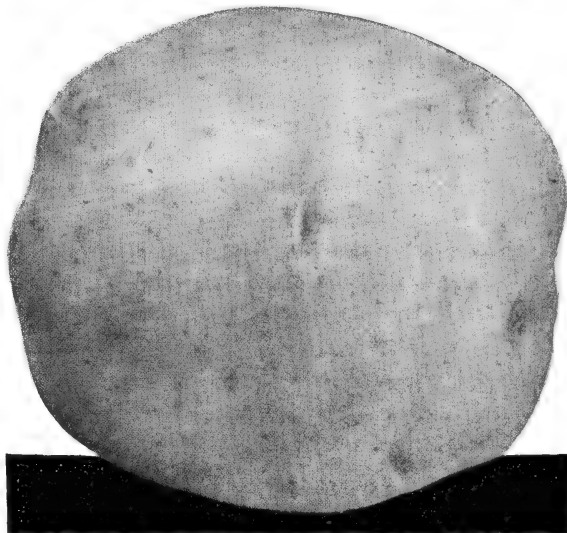
A selection of the smooth Rural type with characteristics similar to Sir Walter Raleigh, except that tubers are inclined more to the round form.

### PIONEER RURAL

The Pioneer Rural was originated by Fred S. Hollenback of Tully, N. Y., and is a sport of the Russet. It combines the yield and drought-resistance of the Russet with the white color and sales value of the well-known Carman or other smooth Rurals. You should try a few of this variety. We believe they will outyield any smooth Rural you have ever grown.



Dibble's Improved Green Mountain



Katahdin

### KATAHDIN

The Katahdin was originated from a seed-ball by the U. S. Department of Agriculture at its experimental station at Presque Isle, Maine.

After it had proved its worth as a new variety, it was released to the public. It is a handsome shallow-eyed, glossy, white-skinned variety which matures a little later than Green Mountain, but earlier than the Rurals. It has very few tubers of unmarketable size and has all varieties beaten in uniformity of shape, size, and in general appearance. It does well on light, friable soil, but is not adapted to heavy soil subject to drought conditions.

If you have never raised Katahdin try at least one sack.

Many growers have changed entirely to this variety after trying a few.

### SEBAGO

Originated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. A high-yielding variety somewhat later than the Rurals. Smooth, white, shallow-eyed tubers thicker than Chippewa and of high table quality. Large, vigorous foliage resistant to heat and drought, also resistant to blight, yellow dwarf and scab. Especially desirable where blight occurs frequently or where spraying is omitted. Try a few of this new proved variety.

### DIBBLE'S IMPROVED GREEN MOUNTAIN

In the Improved Green Mountain we have a better Potato than was the old Green Mountain at its best, a score of years ago. The tubers are uniform in shape, oblong, with two good ends, slightly flattened; creamy white skin absolutely free from disease in any form, and with pure white flesh of excellent quality. They are particularly well adapted to northern latitudes where the rainfall is abundant and the temperature is not excessively high. As a rule, they do not succeed as well in localities where they are subjected to unfavorable conditions of growth during the time they are forming tubers, as do the members of the Rural group.



## == DIBBLE'S == *Certified and Selected* **SEED POTATOES**

**EARLY VARIETIES OF POTATOES ADAPTED  
TO THE NORTHERN AND EASTERN STATES**

**F**OR over a half century the sales of Dibble's Seed Potatoes have gradually increased until the annual sales reached and passed 100,000 bushels. We do not have a single salesman on the road, every order coming to us through the mail, and at least four-fifths of our business from old customers, thousands of whom plant Dibble's Seed Potatoes annually. This is the best tribute to the quality of our Seed Potatoes. Merit Wins. We grow on our own farms, and in this section, varieties of Potatoes adapted to our soils, and as to the earlies, we have them grown for us on contract in the virgin soils of regions still farther north, where these early types grow larger and better tubers than can be obtained on the old lands of the eastern states.

Seed Potatoes that are northern-grown, moved south only from 100 to 300 miles, frequently produce double the crop of home-grown seed, even of the same variety.

We can furnish State-Certified Seed Potatoes, or Selected Seed Potatoes, grown from Certified Seed.

### **WARBA •**

A seedling of Bliss Triumph from the Minnesota Experiment Station, with smooth white skin and pink eyes. Earlier than the Cobbler, a heavy yielder, and immune to mosaic disease. If your soil is not heavy, we suggest trying a few Warbas for early market.

### **EARLY OHIO •**

For first early there is nothing to compare with the Early Ohio. It is round to oblong, with pink skin, white flesh of excellent quality, and extra early. Our pedigree stock was grown from North Dakota Certified Seed.

### **DIBBLE'S IRISH COBBLER •**

The best extra-early white Potato. Tubers are smooth, round, plump, creamy white; eyes well developed. The white flesh is of excellent quality.

A week to ten days later than Early Ohio, but usually more productive, with tubers of good eating quality while the vines are still green. The "best" early for all-round culture, as it will give excellent results on any soil. The fields from which we saved stock seed averaged 325 to 625 bushels per acre.

### **CHIPPEWA •**

Originated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and is seven to ten days later than Irish Cobblers. It sets tubers early and they develop fast. Immune to mild mosaic and superior to the Cobbler in smoothness and whiteness. In yield tests it has outyielded the best strains of Cobblers on both muck and upland soils.

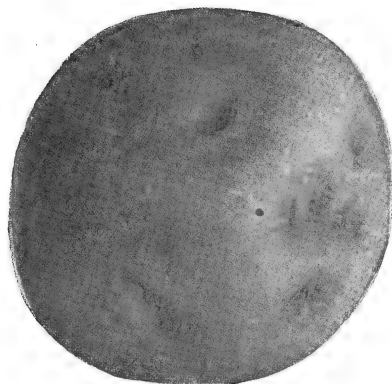
### **SPAULDING ROSE •**

A seedling of the old Early Rose, producing a much better yield of larger tubers. Skin is pink, with white flesh of good eating quality. A most desirable medium-early Potato for sandy loam soils.

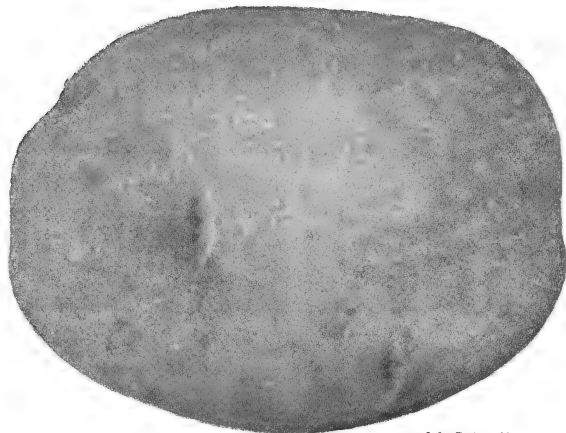
### **HOUMA •**

Originated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Matures about as early as the Chippewa and about a week earlier than Green Mountain. Tubers short and thick, glossy white, skin smooth, eyes very shallow except at bud end. Resistant to yellow dwarf and mosaic, also to heat injury. Adapted to the lighter soils and conditions favorable to the Green Mountain. In yield tests it generally equals or exceeds the Green Mountain. Quality rating excellent.





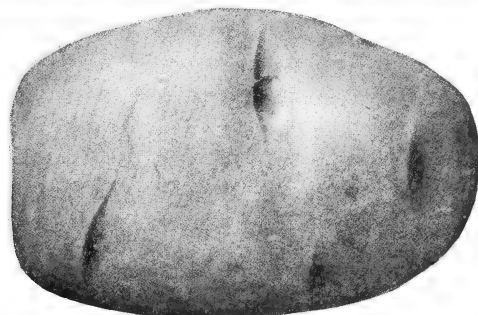
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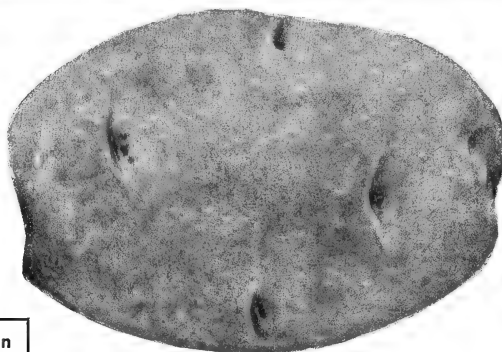
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## *"THE BEST SIX"*

EARLY VARIETIES OF POTATOES ADAPTED TO THE NORTHERN AND EASTERN STATES



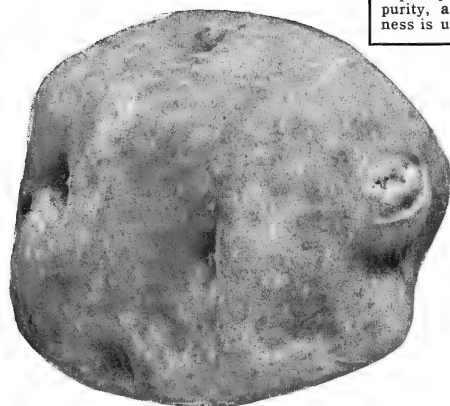
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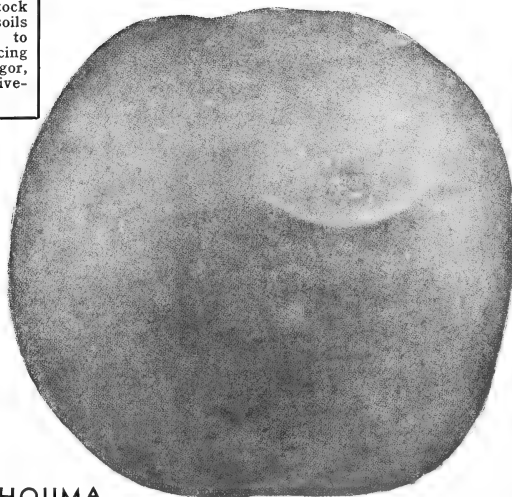
SPAULDING ROSE

These Are Listed in  
Order of Maturing

Northern-grown from  
selected certified stock  
seed, planted on soils  
especially adapted to  
each variety, producing  
a quality that for vigor,  
purity, and productive-  
ness is unexcelled.



DIBBLE'S IRISH COBBLER



HOUMA

# DIBBLE'S SEED BARLEY

## ALPHA BARLEY

Alpha Barley, a two-rowed variety, has been the leading spring Barley in New York and adjoining states. This past season all spring Barley in the Northeast was a near failure due mainly to late planting and mildew infection. Very little genuine Alpha Barley will be available. A substitute for Alpha will have to be used.

## HANNCHEN BARLEY

Hannchen Barley is a two-rowed sort and looks very much like Alpha. Tests at Ithaca and in other parts of the state indicate that it is about 90 per cent as good in yield as Alpha. Until a new crop of Alpha can be raised we offer the Hannchen Barley from North Dakota as the best substitute for planting in 1944. It may be sown with oats for growing a mixed grain crop.

## WISCONSIN No. 38. A Six-Row Barley

This is a new, smooth-awned variety developed by the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station. It is a little later in maturing than most of the six-row types and has a fairly stiff straw if harvested before it is fully ripe. It matures at about the same time as Alpha and is the highest-yielding smooth-awned Barley yet tested at the Cornell Agricultural Experiment Station. **Best for Malting.**

## WONG WINTER BARLEY

*Available After August 1, 1944, for Sowing in September*

Wong Winter Barley is a new cross made in China by Professor Wang (pronounced Wong). It is a six-rowed Barley with short heads and grayish white kernels. Its chief merit is high yield and exceptionally stiff straw.

The Plant Breeding Department of Cornell Agricultural Experiment Station at Ithaca brought this Barley from China in 1934. Tests made at the Ithaca Station and on regional plots indicated the superior qualities of this new Winter Barley both in yield and stiffness of straw.

For three years the Plant Breeding Department from our State College conducted trials of Winter Barley on one of our farms and each year this new variety, Wong, surpassed all others. From their trial plots we obtained 2 bushels of seed in the fall of 1940 and planted it on 2 acres of ground. From these 2 acres, using only 1 bushel of seed per acre, we obtained 120 bushels of clean seed. Several fields were planted in the fall of 1941. These fields averaged 55 bushels of seed per acre. Our 1943 plantings are looking fine and will be available after August 1, 1944.

By all means try some of this Wong Barley, using 5 to 6 pecks per acre, and sow a little earlier than for winter wheat.

May we send you a price-list on August 1, 1944?

# DIBBLE'S SOY BEANS

THE Soy Bean was introduced into America over 100 years ago but at first very little attention was given to it.

In 1907 there were only 50,000 acres planted but since then the acreage has increased three hundred fold, and in 1943 there were more than 15,000,000 acres sown. No crop was ever used for so many purposes. There have been found more than 300 widely assorted uses for the Soy Bean, some of the most important of which are in foods, plastics, paint, varnish, soap and linoleums.

Eastern farmers should increase their acreage of Soy Beans because:

1. They may be sold as a cash crop or mixed with other grains raised on the farm to make a high protein dairy feed.
2. They may be grown with corn to increase the feeding value.
3. They may be used as an emergency hay crop. Soy Bean hay has a feeding value similar to alfalfa.
4. They may be cut and fed as green roughage.
5. They may be used for grass silage.
6. They may be used to plow under for green manure. Being a legume, they are one of the best plants for soil-improvement. A two-ton crop of Soy Beans adds as much nitrogen to the soil as seven tons of manure.

From hundreds of varieties that have been introduced from China, Korea and Japan, or developed in this country, only a few, on account of their earliness, are adapted to the climatic conditions of the Northeastern Territory.

## Varieties to Use for Grain or Seed

**CAYUGA.** The earliest high-yielding variety recommended for grain production in New York State or in regions having a similar growing period. Planted in late May or early June this variety is ready for harvest by the middle of September. Use 35 to 40 pounds of seed per acre when planted in 21 to 28-inch rows or 90 to 100 pounds when drilled solid or in 14-inch rows. Yields 30 to 40 bushels per acre were reported.

**SENECA.** A new yellow variety, introduced in 1939 by the plant breeders at Cornell, maturing about 10 days later than Cayuga. It is taller in growth habit than the Cayuga, yields heavier, and is recommended as the most desirable variety in the longer growing season areas of New York and New England. The yellow color and higher yield make it more desirable in every way where the season is long enough. It is also useful for hay since it reaches prime condition in late August or early September. Rate of seeding is the same as the Cayuga.

## For Silage, Hay or Green Manure

**MANCHU.** A medium-early variety maturing in about 110 to 120 days. Large, upright, bushy vines, extremely productive. Our customers convinced us this is the best variety for silage, hay, or green manure.

For silage, use 15 pounds Soy Beans and 15 pounds Corn to the acre; for hay or green manure, use 6 to 8 pecks, if drilled solid, or 3 to 4 pecks in close rows. If used for hay, cut after pods form and before the leaves start to fall.

**WILSON.** Slightly later in maturing than Manchu and not quite as rank a grower. An excellent variety for green manure. Rate of seeding same as Manchu.

## WONG WINTER BARLEY

Taken June 25, 1942, this picture shows a plot of Wong Barley at the right. Note its upright straw. At the left are three strips of barley—Poland, Kentucky No. 1, and Michigan Winter—which are badly lodged.

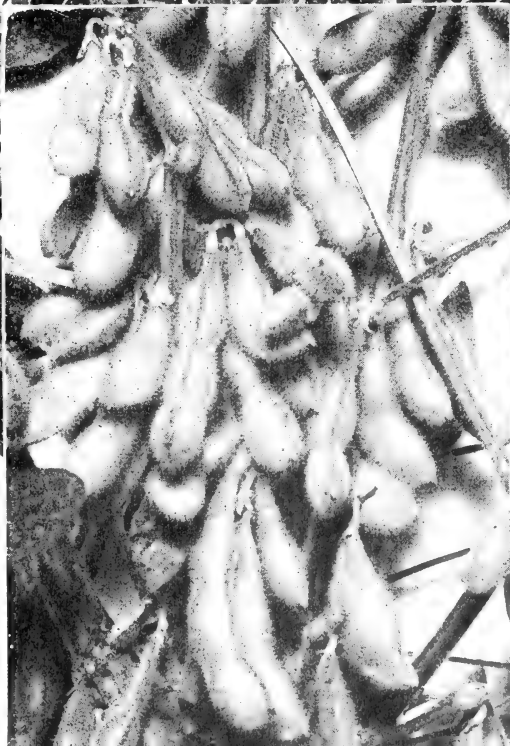






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**HOKKAIDO.** There is a growing demand for the vegetable Soy Bean to be used for human consumption. We have chosen the Hokkaido variety as the most promising one to be used as a green vegetable or as dry Shell Beans. Defer planting until the soil is warm, and plant in 28-inch rows with 3 to 4-inch spacing in the row.



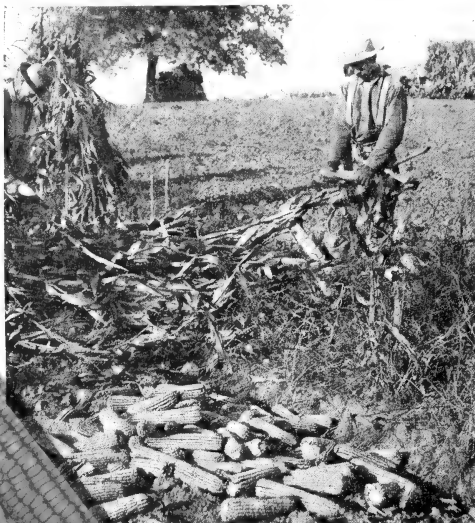
## SOY BEANS

The Beans are ready for use as a vegetable when the pods have reached nearly full size. To make shelling easy, immerse the pods in boiling water for 5 minutes, then drain, and open the pods. Prepare the Beans for your table the same as for other green vegetables.

One pound of Hokkaidos will plant 300 ft.; 70 pounds an acre.

# DIBBLE'S *Double Cross Hybrid* CORN

Hybrid Corn has replaced the original varieties so completely in the Corn-belt that it is now difficult to find a field of open-pollinated Corn. Acreage in the Northeast is increasing each year. Cornell has developed two outstanding Hybrids for our Northeastern conditions—Cornell 29-3 and Cornell 34-53.



Northern-  
grown **Seed Corn**

The utmost care is taken to furnish Seed Corn of the highest possible quality, Corn that is thoroughly dried naturally or dried artificially by the most up-to-date methods known, of high germination and of varieties that are adapted to the northern and eastern states.

## Hybrid Cornell 29-3 Corn

**H**YBRID 29-3 is a double cross hybrid Corn developed at the Cornell Agricultural Experiment Station by inbreeding and crossing. The varieties used in making this double cross are inbred strains of Luce's Favourite, Onondaga White Dent, Cornell 11 and Bloody Butcher.

In Dibble's Hybrid 29-3 we now have a hybrid Corn that is adapted to our Eastern conditions. It matures in about 110 to 115 days and has the widest adaptability of any Corn grown in the Northeastern Territory. The ear is 9 to 10 inches long and 2 inches in diameter, tapering slightly. It is yellow Corn with a slightly reddish tinge and showing deep amber between the rows. Very distinct.

We recommend it for ensilage wherever West Branch Sweepstakes or Leaming is now used, and for grain wherever Golden Glow or a late strain of Cornell 11 matures. Comparative tests show it produces 40 to 50 per cent more grain at silage-cutting time and 15 to 20 bushels more of dry shelled grain per acre at husking-time.

Our seed is from carefully selected, hand-picked ears, thoroughly re-cleaned, of splendid germination, and we sell it subject to your test on our money-back-if-you-want-it guarantee.

## Hybrid Cornell 34-53 Corn

This hybrid is a double cross made by combining four inbred Strains of Cornell 11. It requires about the same length of season to mature as regular Cornell 11 and ripens approximately a week earlier than double cross 29-3. It is about a week later in maturity than the open-pollinated strain of Early Cornell 11.

If planted before June 1, Hybrid 34-53 will mature fully ripe grain in New York State in all areas where the elevation does not exceed 1000 feet, though it may fail to do so in some seasons in northern New York. On good soil the stalks usually attain a height of 8 feet or more. The ears are from 7 to 9 inches long with from 14 to 18 rows of yellow kernels. Tests indicate that it exceeds the parent variety, Cornell 11, in yield of grain by about 10 per cent.

Cornell 34-53, though primarily a grain variety, is a superior silage Corn in the shorter-season areas. Though only slightly heavier in acre production of green weight than the regular Cornell 11, it is measurably higher in dry weight. Most of this additional weight is grain. Tests in areas where the growing season is short give evidence that it will prove more satisfactory for ensilage than any of the open-pollinated varieties or than later-maturing hybrids.

# DIBBLE'S

## Early Yellow Dent Corn

**W**AS introduced by us thirty-four years ago as the earliest large Yellow Dent in existence. During that time we have tried out, tested, and inspected fields of other Early Dents and, as a result, we still say to our customers that Dibble's Early Yellow Dent is the most desirable of the Early Dents for the eastern farmer.

**We do not advise its growth at high altitudes, such as the hill lands of New York, for a husking crop, but we do recommend it as the best early Yellow Dent for ensilage now grown.**

Dibble's Early Yellow Dent planted here in the Genesee Valley country, May 15 to June 1, is usually ready for the silo by early September, but many of our customers report that it matures earlier with them. The foliage is very leafy and the stalks average 10 to 12 feet in height. One field of 12 acres on one of our own farms measured 14 feet on the level for the entire field. The ears, 8 to 10 inches in length, are closely set with bright yellow grains on a small cob. Hundreds of our customers, in a dozen different states, plant Dibble's Early Yellow Dent year after year.

**Our seed is from carefully selected, hand-picked ears, thoroughly re-cleaned, of splendid germination, and we sell it subject to your test on our money-back-if-you-want-it guarantee.**

I am writing to tell you that the Seed Corn from your place last year (1941) was the best I have had from standpoint of production. Dibble's Early Yellow Dent filled my silo and I was obliged to let my Cornell 29-3 ripen and husk it; a measured acre produced 108 bushel baskets of ears. 29-3 is best all-purpose Corn we have ever had here. At least 70 per cent of the stalks had two perfect ears. We do not have the best kind of Corn-ground here as we are at a 1200-foot elevation, and my farm is in a slope of the Catskills facing the north.—R. C. GREGORY, Grantin, N. Y.



# DIBBLE'S

## SEED CORN

### GUARANTEE

**W**E GUARANTEE every bushel of our Seed Corn to be northern-grown and thoroughly re-cleaned. Our germination tests show 90 per cent or above, and we sell Seed Corn subject to your test.

You may keep our Seed Corn ten days, test it any way you wish, and if it does not "make good," return it immediately and we will refund your money, paying the freight both ways, or refill your order. We use reasonable care in packing and sending out our Seed Corn, but as so many circumstances may arise over which we have no control, we do not guarantee, nor will we be responsible for the crop grown from any of our seeds.

When the white-oak leaves are as big as a squirrel's ear, then it is time to plant corn.  
—Old Indian saying.

# DIBBLE'S

## SEED-SOWING

### TABLE

The months mentioned below each variety are the time of seeding.	Pounds per acre
Common Alfalfa.....	15 to 20
April, May, June, Aug., Sept.	
Grimm Alfalfa.....	15 to 20
April, May, June, Aug., Sept.	
Alsike.....	8 to 10
Feb. to June, Aug., Sept.	
Barley.....	96
April to June	
Corn, Field.....	10 to 12
May, June	
Corn, Ensilage.....	15 to 25
May, June	
Red Medium Clover.....	10 to 15
Feb. to May, Aug. to Nov.	
Mammoth Red Clover.....	10 to 15
Feb. to May, Aug. to Nov.	
Oats.....	80 to 96
March to May	
Peas, Canada.....	90 to 120
March to May	
Timothy.....	12 to 15
April to June, Aug., Sept.	
Sudan Grass.....	20 to 25
Late May to early June	
Japanese Millet.....	20 to 25
Late May to early June	
Hungarian Millet.....	40 to 50
Late May to early June	
Golden Millet.....	40 to 50
Late May to early June	
Sweet Clover.....	15
March to Aug.	

## DIBBLE'S *Improved* • • EARLY LEAMING CORN

Just 118 years ago (1826) a variety of Yellow Dent Corn was introduced to American farmers and named for the originator, Mr. J. B. Leaming. Soon "Leaming Corn," through sheer merit, became the most popular of the Dent Corns. Dibble's Improved Leaming is at least ten days earlier than the common Leaming of commerce. We recommend it as the most popular variety for ensilage purposes for the Middle and New England States.

Our Improved Leaming matures here in western New York in from 100 to 110 days of good Corn weather; the stalks average from 10 to 15 feet in height, and we have put into our silos, many a time, 30 tons of ensilage per acre, that would have husked 100 to 125 bushels of ears.

For over 100 years Leaming has proved to be one of the best varieties for ensilage. Dibble's Improved Leaming is strictly high-grade, pedigree seed, from carefully selected, hand-picked ears, and sold to you subject to your own test. Keep it ten days and, if not right, return it and get your money back as per terms of our guarantee. You run absolutely no risk if you buy Dibble's Improved Early Leaming. We shall be glad to send you samples free; so test them to your entire satisfaction. For prices, see Special Price-List.

## DIBBLE'S *Mammoth* • • YELLOW FLINT CORN

Is the best Flint Corn in cultivation either for crop or silo. It is the largest-growing Flint variety, and one of the earliest, maturing here in the Genesee Valley in around 100 days. The stalks average 8 to 10 feet in height (under good cultivation sometimes 12 to 14 feet), from 1 to 3 feet taller than other Flint varieties we have grown alongside. The stalks leaf profusely nearly to the ground, and the stalks and leaves are sweet, making it the most desirable ensilage variety for those sections of our country known as "Flint Corn Land."

Dibble's Mammoth Yellow Flint is, without doubt, the most productive Flint Corn known. As a cropper for husking, it is unexcelled. The ears average 10 to 15 inches in length, and frequently there are two or three mammoth ears to a stalk.

Throughout New York, the higher sections of New Jersey and Pennsylvania, and all of New England, Dibble's Mammoth Yellow Flint is the best and the surest cropper. Every farmer should grow Corn and cut down on the feed-bills.

Our stock seed consisted of several bushels, every ear of which was over 12 inches long, and many of them exceeded 15 inches.



Every member of a farm family is a useful one, especially in war-time.

## DIBBLE'S GOLDEN GLOW

An extremely early, pure golden yellow Corn, most attractive in color and appearance. It is strictly a Wisconsin Corn developed by the Wisconsin Experiment Station. The ears are of medium size, around 8 inches in length, and in spite of its earliness it grows good stalks with heavy leaves. We are offering only the "big type of Golden Glow" and the strain that has been bred to be "cold-resistant." Golden Glow is very popular in Northern New York and in regions having a similar growing season.

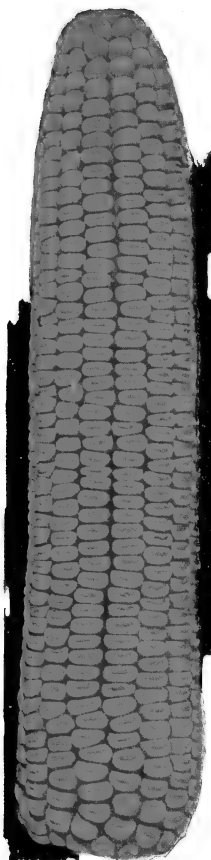
## DIBBLE'S CORNELL 11

Cornell 11 is a variety developed by ear-to-row selection from Pride of the North and differs from Pride of the North mainly in that it is about two weeks earlier in maturity while in stalk it is about 1 foot shorter. The ears are characteristically cylindrical in shape, 6 to 8 inches long, usually not well filled at tips and of 14 to 18 rows, with cob rather large. The kernels are medium broad and thick and rather shallow as compared with Corns of the Corn Belt such as Leaming or Early Yellow Dent. The color is yellow but some reddish ears appear. The selection was designed not for producing a "show" Corn but for high yield of grain and early maturity. During the past few seasons this variety has proved very popular with many of our customers. Cornell 11 is recommended by the New York State Department of Plant-breeding as one of the most desirable varieties for the hill sections where the seasons are short.

## DIBBLE'S Lancaster County Sure Crop

A splendid Corn of Pennsylvania origin, and the leading variety grown in Lancaster County, the best and most productive agricultural county in the state.

Sure Crop is a hybrid developed from two well-known old varieties. It has long, rather large ears and small cob, is an extremely heavy yielder, medium as to time of ripening, and grows a wonderful mass of foliage, with stalks 10 to 18 feet high. Being extremely rich in protein makes it most desirable for ensilage. It is practically sure to ripen on good Cornland anywhere in the East in the latitude of Pennsylvania where the parent seed-stock was grown. Our 1943 crop averaged over 40 bushels per acre of cleaned, screened, and graded Corn, germinating nearly 100 per cent. Can you beat it?



Dibble's Golden Glow

After farming for 40 years I planted one bushel of your Lancaster Sure Crop Corn in 1941, with the resulting yield the largest I ever had; in fact, it was enormous.—PHILIP H. DONAHUE, Gardiner, N. Y.

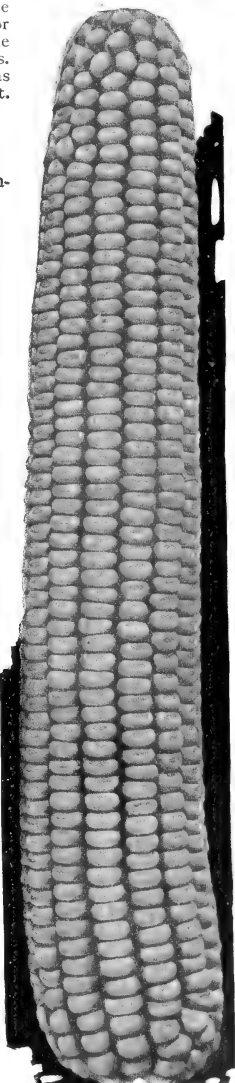
I think your Catalog description of Golden Glow Corn is too modest.—C. F. & J. B. WOODWARD, Meriden, N. H.

Last spring you shipped me an order of seeds including Cornell No. 11 Field Corn, Heavyweight Oats, Grass Seed, etc. All proved excellent in spite of a cold, wet spring. The Corn is the best ever grown in this section, and the Oats were  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet high the middle of July. I have received many splendid comments on these two crops.—ALLEN SALISBURY, Ellsworth Falls, Maine.

Protect Your Corn Plantings with Stanley's Crow Repellent. See page 21



Dibble's Cornell 11



Dibble's Lancaster County Sure Crop



# DIBBLE'S

*West Branch*

SWEEPSTAKES

ENSILAGE

# CORN



Dibble's West Branch Sweepstakes Ensilage Corn raised

Ten days earlier and much more desirable in every way than the old Sweepstakes Ensilage Corn. This variety is grown for us in Central Pennsylvania near Williamsport. The New York State College of Agriculture found it gave a large green tonnage and matured early enough to qualify as an excellent silage variety. It ears heavily and matures earlier than most other varieties sold under the name of Sweepstakes.

Dibble's West Branch Sweepstakes is a blend, made by crossing Lancaster Sure Crop, White Cap Yellow Dent, and a red variety of the Bloody Butcher type. The plant is a vigorous grower, 10 to 15 feet on good soil, ears 8 to 12 inches in length, with 12 to 20 rows of kernels. Cob is usually large and rather well filled at the tip. The color of kernels varies from Red to White Cap Yellow Dent.

We have been selecting for the red-kernel type and have thereby cut down materially on the percentage of white-cap yellow ears. Some ears, however, have kernels with very light-colored caps and only a tinge of red on the sides of the kernels. Others are nearly red. It has been an exceptionally favorable fall for the maturing of this variety and we have some very choice high-germinating seed to offer.

Dibble's West Branch Sweepstakes is the most popular ensilage variety in all sections of New York State, except at high elevations where an earlier sort is needed.

We have bought our seed supply from you for many years and have always been satisfied 100 per cent and shall continue to order from you with complete confidence.—J. C. THOMPSON & SON, Unionville, Conn.

## DIBBLE'S BIG RED DENT CORN

Is a Corn of great value and well worthy of trial. We found this Corn in northern Ohio several years ago, and in comparison with Improved Leaming on adjoining farms, it has larger and more vigorous stalks. It grew more and bigger foliage than the Leaming, with bigger ears and more of them, and ripened earlier. Experience on our farms has given the same results, and a number of the leading dairymen in our section, after seven years' experience, consider it the best ensilage Corn for western New York. There have been raised at least 100 acres of it in our town that would have husked 125 to 150 bushels of sound, dry Corn to the acre if it had not been put into the silos.

Dibble's Big Red Dent grows tall and vigorous, with leafy stalks, and is a remarkable producer. The kernels when thoroughly dry are of a beautiful reddish tint, well set on a small, red cob. Recommended for trial in all sections where Improved Leaming gives good results.

We found your statement of Big Red Dent to be true in comparison to the Early Leaming. It just seemed to have the edge over Early Leaming in every respect. However, both crops were very good.—F. W. BURNS, Reynoldsville, Pa.

I planted this Big Red Dent Ensilage Corn last year (1941) and had the best Ensilage Corn I have ever planted.—HARRY LEESLEY, Cocheton, N. Y.



by Harry O'Neil, Lima, N. Y., for his 150 milking cows.

# DIBBLE'S *Mammoth* WHITE DENT CORN

Grows the tallest and is the most leafy of any of the big varieties of Ensilage Corn with which we are acquainted, and is the only big, rank-growing White Corn that is, in our opinion, adapted to the northern states.

Our seed stock of this variety is grown in latitude 41°, and during the past ten years it has thoroughly matured and ripened slightly farther north. Northern-grown Seed Corn is the kind for farmers in the northern states to plant.

Dibble's Mammoth White Dent is the largest, strongest-growing White Corn, whether Flint or Dent, that is adapted to the northern or central states. This variety is a very hardy, extremely rapid grower, and under favorable conditions, with first-class culture, will produce crops 14 to 20 feet in height.

There may be some other varieties of White Corn that will grow as big foliage as our Mammoth White in the North, but on our own farms, and under our own observation, there has been no other kind to compare with it.

Now, then, you northern and eastern farmers desiring to grow bumper crops of big Corn with ears on it for your silo, plant Dibble's Mammoth White Dent instead of Southern Sheep-Tooth, Eureka, Red-Cob and the like, all Corns of southern origin, and you will be more than satisfied.

## DIBBLE'S WHITE CAP YELLOW DENT

An extra-early Dent variety that is desirable for a husking crop. It is especially desirable where the growing season is short and a mighty good kind for ensilage in the hill country, or on soil that is not naturally Corn-land.

## DIBBLE'S SMOKY DENT

This variety is one of the best early-maturing Corns and is very desirable for planting where the growing season is short. The stalks will average 8 to 10 feet in height and the ears 8 to 10 inches in length. The grain is red with a clear white cap. In some sections of the country this variety is known as Early August or Red Robbin.

### STANLEY'S CROW REPELLENT



Protect Your Corn Plantings  
with  
**STANLEY'S CROW REPELLENT**

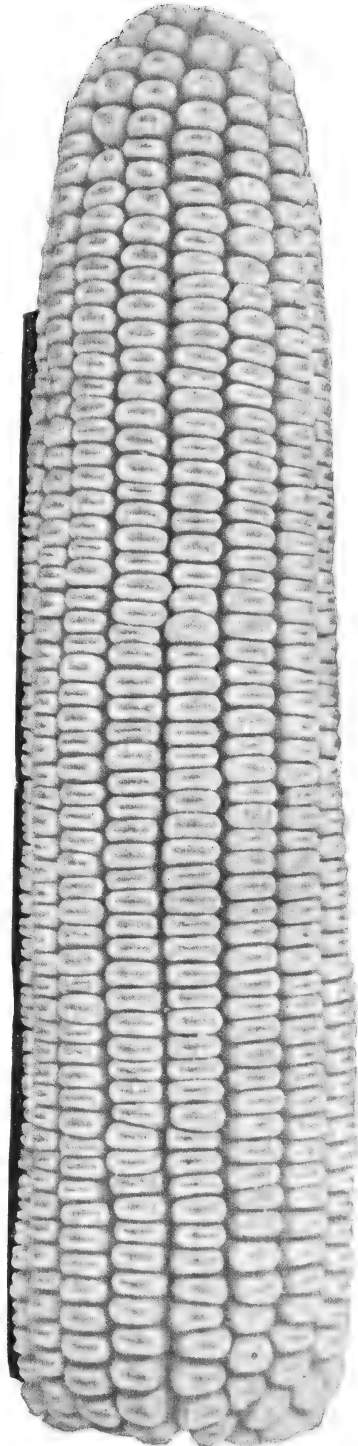
These black-winged robbers won't stay long in a field protected by Stanley's Crow Repellent. Not poisonous, and does not affect the corn, but the crows leave. A 60-cent can treats a bushel of seed.

1 qt. ....	\$1.75
(enough for 4 bushels of seed corn)	
1 pt. ....	1.00
(enough for 2 bushels of seed corn)	
½ pt. ....	.60
(enough for 1 bushel of seed corn)	

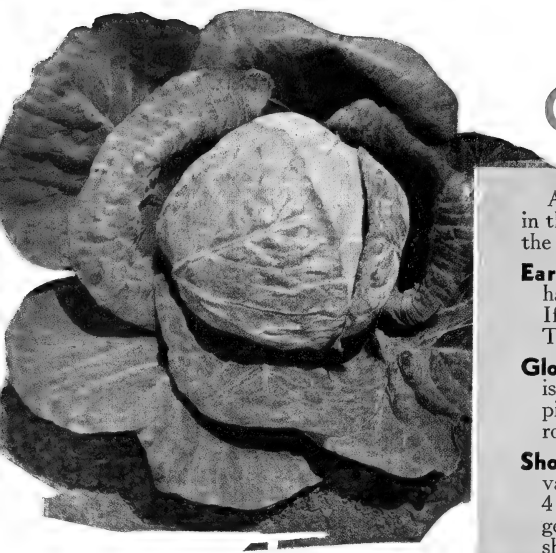
### SEMESAN JR.



Ethyl mercury phosphate dry disinfectant for seed corn. Controls root-rots; also for prevention of seed-rotting of early planted corn. Generally increases stands and yields. This chemical may be applied prior to, simultaneously with, or subsequent to the addition of Crow Repellent. 1½ ounces treats 1 bushel of corn. See Special Price-List.







# DIBBLE'S CABBAGE SEED

All of our Cabbage Seed is raised by growers who specialize in the raising of superior strains. For protection against disease the seed is hot-water treated.

**Early Seneca.** 75 days. Early. A large Cabbage of the Copenhagen type. Heads up solid when small and can be shipped. If left until ripe it makes a large Cabbage suitable for kraut. The head is round; weighs from 5 to 8 pounds when mature.

**Glory of Enkhuizen.** 85 days. This late "domestic" Cabbage is the standard variety for kraut. Grows too large for shipping trade. Heads are large, weighing from 8 to 10 pounds, round, solid, with few outer leaves, of excellent quality.

**Short-Stem Danish Ballhead.** 100 days. The standard variety for storing for winter use. Heads usually weigh from 4 to 6 pounds but 10-pound heads are not uncommon under good conditions. The heads are slightly flattened, ball-shaped, solid and heavy.

*NOTE:- Due to a very short crop of cabbage seed our supply may be sold out by the time we issue this Catalog. See special price-list.*

WE USE all of the experience we have accumulated in over fifty years in growing and selling Farm Seeds, to supply only those varieties, and from the proper northern sources, that will give the best results on the farms of the Middle and New England States. You will note the 300-mile circle covers most of this section and parts of Ohio, the Virginias, and Maryland. Freight rates are low, and as this part of the country is covered by a network of railroads, service is rapid, and any seeds ordered from us by freight should reach you within a week from shipment at the latest, and if by express, in a day or two at the most.

We do not prepay freight, as we have found that a uniform freight-prepaid price works an injustice to the farmer within 100 miles of us, and favors the one around the extreme edge of the 300-mile circle, and we desire to be just and fair to all men. We will be glad, however, to make you prepaid prices upon request.

If we can save you money, we are entitled to your order. In comparing prices and quality we are positive you will find you can save money in ordering your Farm Seeds from us, and on that basis may we not have your order?

We want large orders, of course, as our business is furnishing business farmers the highest grade seeds that will produce money-making crops. But no order is too small to get our most careful attention, as our experience has been, if once a farmer begins ordering his seed of us, nine times out of ten he will be a customer for life. Now, in your case, if you cannot send a large order, try a small one.

A bag of Timothy-Alsike Mixture, a bushel each of Clover and Timothy, a sack of Oats, and a couple of bushels of Seed Corn will give you a fair chance to try our Farm Seeds. If you have never grown Dibble's Russet Potatoes, include at least a sack in your order; we are sure you will thank us for the suggestion. Wherever Dibble's Russets are grown, they are not changing for any other variety.

## WINTER WHEAT, BARLEY and RYE

On request we will send you a price-list on August 1 quoting seasonable seeds for August and September sowing. Indicate on order sheet if you would like this price-list or drop us a postcard about August 1. We will have available:

**Yorkwin Wheat.** A high-yielding white Wheat; very winter hardy and of good milling quality.

**Cornell No. 595 Wheat.** A new variety of white Wheat. It has very stiff straw, is very winter hardy and gives promise of replacing Yorkwin.

**Nured Wheat.** A new high-yielding red Wheat especially desirable for feeding.

**Wong Winter Barley.** A new variety. See page 14 for full illustration.

**Cornell 76 Rye.** Highest yielding selection from Cornell.

**Rosen Rye.** A variety of Russian origin.

Also a complete line of alfalfa, clover and grass seeds  
August is an ideal time to seed alfalfa or make a new lawn

PRICES ARE NET F.O.B. Honeoye Falls, N. Y. Bags and sacks free and not weighed in with the seed.

TERMS: Strictly cash with order, except on carload lots, when a special price will be made you delivered to your station, payable on arrival and inspection of goods.

PRICE CHANGES: As prices constantly fluctuate throughout the season, we do not print them in this Catalog but issue special price-lists giving the very lowest prices prevailing at the time. If you are not ready to order when this Catalog reaches you, write us for a new price-list when you are ready.

Prices are subject to change without notice. If lower when order is received, the difference will be refunded; if higher, you will be notified.

### CONDITIONS OF SALE

We assume responsibility that the seeds or tubers reach the purchaser in good condition. We offer to refund the purchase price of any seeds or tubers found by tests to be unsatisfactory to you within ten days after the seeds or tubers reach you. In common with all responsible seedsmen we give no warranty, express or implied, as to the productiveness of any seeds or tubers we sell and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. Our liability in all instances is limited to the purchase price of the seeds or tubers.

— EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEEDGROWER • Honeoye Falls, N. Y. —

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We will send them our Catalogues and Price-Lists at once, and we thank you in advance for your courtesy in this matter.

EDWARD F. DIBBLE SEEDGROWER

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PLEASE NOTE: On August 1, 1944, we will issue a Fall Price-List quoting winter wheat, winter barley, winter rye and other seasonal seeds. A cross mark (X) in square will bring this Fall Price-List to you. ☐

# DIBBLE'S PRICE LIST

from

## Edward F. Dibble Seedgrower, Honeoye Falls, N.Y.

JANUARY 26, 1944

**TERMS NET. NO DISCOUNTS ALLOWED. BAGS AND SACKS FREE AND NOT RETURNABLE.**

**CASH WITH ORDER. PRICES ARE FREE ON BOARD CARS AT HONEOYE FALLS, N. Y.**

Dibble's D. B. Brand Alfalfa, Clover and Grass Seeds are the highest grade obtainable. Average analysis for years has been approximately 99.70% pure and an average of around 99.50% is guaranteed.

Every bag of Dibble's Alfalfa, Clover, Grass and Grain Seeds has a tag showing our Purity and Germination test. They are sold on a ten-day-money-back-if-you-want-it guarantee subject to any test you may choose to make.

Is there a fairer way to sell, or a safer way to buy Farm Seeds?

**WE QUOTE TODAY'S VALUES SUBJECT TO MARKET CHANGES. Order now and let us ship as soon as possible.**

### Alfalfa and Sweet Clover

Absolutely hardy with us. Per bu. 60 lbs.

**D. B. COMMON ALFALFA (U. S. Verified)**  
NORTHWESTERN GROWN ..... \$31.50  
Purity our test about 99.50%

**D. B. GRIMM ALFALFA (U. S. Verified)**  
NORTHERN GROWN ..... \$31.50  
Purity our test about 99.50%

**D. B. WHITE BLOSSOM SWEET CLOVER**  
FANCY SCARIFIED ..... \$11.70  
Purity our test about 99.50%

### D. B. Brand Clovers

We do not sell Southern, Oregon or Imported  
Clover Seed

Guaranteed Northern Domestic Grown

**D. B. MEDIUM RED** ..... \$26.90

**D. B. MAMMOTH RED** ..... \$26.90

Purity our test about 99.50%

### Fancy Alsike

**BEST GRADE** ..... \$24.75

Above 98.25%

### Dibble's Seed Potatoes

#### Certified Seed Potatoes

100 POUND SACKS  
STATE CERTIFIED, COLLEGE INSPECTED

	Per Cwt.	1 to 9 sacks	10 sacks or over
<b>DIBBLE'S RUSSET</b>	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>SMOOTH RURAL</b>			
RURAL NEW YORKER	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
CARMAN NO. 3	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
SIR WALTER RALEIGH	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
HEAVYWEIGHT	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
PIONEER RURAL	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>GREEN MOUNTAIN</b>	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>KATAHDIN</b>	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>KATAHDIN 2nds</b>	.....	\$5.00	\$4.65
<b>SEBAGO</b>	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>CHIPPEWA</b>	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>HOUMA</b>	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>SPAULDING ROSE</b>	.....	\$5.50	\$5.10
<b>IRISH COBBLER</b>	.....	\$5.25	\$4.90
<b>EARLY OHIO</b>	.....	\$5.50	\$5.10
<b>WARBA</b>	.....	\$5.50	\$5.10

### Dibble's Seed Oats

Sacked 3 bu. per bag	Per bu. 32 lbs.
<b>HEAVYWEIGHT, per bu.</b>	..... \$ 1.75
<b>CORNELLIAN</b>	Sold out
<b>LENROC</b>	Sold out

### Dibble's Seed Barley

	Per bu. 48 lbs.
<b>HANNCHEN TWO ROWED</b>	..... \$ 2.60
<b>ALPHA TWO ROWED</b>	Sold out
<b>WISCONSIN No. 38, SIX ROWED</b>	..... \$ 2.60

### Timothy

	Per bu. 45 lbs.
<b>D. B. BRAND</b>	..... \$ 4.50
<b>FULL BAGS, 3 bushels</b>	..... \$13.00
Purity our test, above 99.60%	

### Timothy & Alsike Mixture

	Per bu. 45 lbs.
<b>LOT "D" AVERAGE 22% ALSIKE</b>	..... \$ 7.00
<b>FULL BAGS, 3 bushels</b>	..... \$20.50
Less than 1/2 of 1% Weed Seeds	

### War Approved Seed Potatoes

100 POUND SACKS

	Per Cwt.	1 to 9 sacks	10 sacks or over
<b>DIBBLE'S RUSSET 2nds</b>	.....	\$4.75	\$4.25
<b>WARBA</b>	.....	\$4.75	\$4.25
<b>WARBA 2nds</b>	.....	\$4.50	\$4.00

### Selected Seed Potatoes

<b>IRISH COBBLER 2nds</b>	.....	\$3.90	\$3.50
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Prices on all seeds will be quoted  
delivered your station, on request

**PRICE LIST CONTINUED ON OTHER SIDE**

All quotations are for immediate acceptance subject to confirmation on receipt of order. Use order sheet in ordering. If not ready to order on receipt of this Price List, send for another when you are ready. Prices constantly changing.

**PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE**

## Dibble's Seed Corn

Every bushel Northern Grown. Average germination all lots tested to date above 90%. Per bu. 56 lbs.

ENSILAGE VARIETIES	
EARLY YELLOW DENT .....	\$ 4.00
IMPROVED LEAMING .....	\$ 4.00
BIG RED DENT .....	Sold out
MAMMOTH WHITE DENT .....	\$ 4.00
LANCASTER COUNTY SURE CROP .....	\$ 4.50
WEST BRANCH SWEEPSTAKES .....	\$ 4.00
HUSKING OR ENSILAGE	
WHITE CAP YELLOW DENT .....	\$ 4.00
CORNELL 11 .....	\$ 4.00
SMOKY DENT .....	\$ 4.00
GOLDEN GLOW .....	\$ 4.00
MAMMOTH 8-ROWED YELLOW FLINT ..	\$ 4.50
CERTIFIED DOUBLE CROSS HYBRID	
Cornell } LARGE FLAT KERNELS .....	\$ 7.50
29-3 } MEDIUM FLAT KERNELS .....	\$ 7.00
	LARGE ROUND KERNELS ....\$ 6.50
Cornell } LARGE FLAT KERNELS .....	\$ 8.00
34-53 }	

## Sweet Corn

### Garden Assortment - Five Varieties

2 oz. Spancross	60 days	Complete Ass't.
4 oz. Marcross	65 days	\$1.50
4 oz. Carmelcross	70 days	
4 oz. Lincoln	77 days	
1 lb. Golden Cross Bantam	83 days	Postage Paid to 5th Zone
SPANCROSS, MARCROSS, CARMELCROSS LINCOLN		
1 to 2 lbs. 60c per lb., 3 to 9 lbs. 55c per lb.	Prepaid.	
10 to 19 lbs. 50c per lb.	Not Prepaid.	
20 lbs. or over 45c per lb.	Not Prepaid.	
GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM HYBRID		
1 to 2 lbs. 55c per lb., 3 to 9 lbs. 50c per lb.	Prepaid.	
10 to 19 lbs. 45c per lb.	Not Prepaid.	
20 lbs. or over 40c per lb.	Not Prepaid.	
STOWELL'S EVERGREEN		
1 to 2 lbs. 40c per lb., 3 to 9 lbs. 35c per lb.	Prepaid.	
10 to 19 lbs. 30c per lb.	Not Prepaid.	
20 lbs. or over 25c per lb.	Not Prepaid.	

## Dibble's Lawn Grass Mixture

RED, WHITE and BLUE MIXTURE  
For Normal Soils and Sunshine

1 to 10 lbs. ....	45¢ per lb.
10 lbs. or over .....	40¢ per lb.
SHADY LAWN MIXTURE	
1 to 10 lbs. ....	55¢ per lb.
10 lbs. or over .....	50¢ per lb.

## Dibble's Seed Peas

FANCY WHITE CANADA FIELD PEAS	Per bu. 60 lbs. ....\$5.10
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## Dibble's Spring Wheat

MARQUIS TYPE, DAKOTA .....	Per bu. 60 lbs. ....\$3.25
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## NOD-O-GEN

When ordering cultures specify kind of seed to be inoculated. All Nod-O-Gen in Humus type.

FOR CLOVERS		FOR ALFALFA and SWEET CLOVER	
MEDIUM, MAMMOTH ALSIKE and WHITE			
1 Bu. Size .....	50c	1 Bu. Size .....	50c
2½ Bu. Size .....	\$1.00	2½ Bu. Size .....	\$1.00

FOR SOY BEANS		FOR VETCH & PEA	
2 Bu. Size .....	30c	1 Bu. Size .....	35c
5 Bu. Size .....	55c	100 Lb. Size .....	55c
10 Bu. Size .....	\$1.00		
30 Bu. Size .....	\$3.00		

## Miscellaneous Seeds

	Per lb.
Millets { JAPANESE .....	8¢
{ HUNGARIAN .....	10¢
{ GOLDEN .....	12¢
FANCY RED TOP .....	25¢
FANCY KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS .....	34¢
FANCY CANADA BLUE GRASS .....	34¢
FANCY ORCHARD GRASS .....	44¢
SUDAN GRASS .....	16¢
DOMESTIC RYE GRASS .....	16¢
PERENNIAL RYE GRASS .....	33¢
BROME GRASS .....	23¢
REEDS CANARY GRASS .....	36¢
CHEWINGS FESCUE .....	75¢
WINTER VETCH .....	19¢
RAPE, DWARF ESSEX .....	18¢
WHITE DUTCH CLOVER .....	90¢
WILD WHITE CLOVER .....	\$1.40
LADINO CLOVER .....	\$2.00
YELLOW TREFOIL .....	40¢
BIRDSFOOT TREFOIL (including inoculation) ..	\$2.00

## Dibble's Soy Beans

	Per bu. 60 lbs.
MANCHU SOY BEANS .....	\$ 3.60
EARLY WILSON SOY BEANS .....	\$ 3.60
CAYUGA SOY BEANS .....	\$ 3.60
SENECA SOY BEANS .....	\$ 3.60
HOKKAIDO - Vegetable Soy Bean	
1 to 9 lbs. 45¢ Per Lb. Prepaid.	
10 lbs. or over 40¢ Per Lb. Not prepaid.	

## Dibble's Buckwheat

	Per bu. 48 lbs.
JAPANESE .....	\$ 2.50

## Cabbage Seed

SOLD OUT

## Cornell Pasture Mixtures

	Per lb.
CORNELL SPECIAL PASTURE MIXTURE..	33¢
Sow 25 lbs. Per Acre	
CORNELL GEN. PURP. PASTURE MIXT...	42¢
Sow 20 lbs. Per Acre	
CORNELL UTILITY PASTURE MIXTURE..	38¢
Sow 20 lbs. Per Acre	
CORNELL LADINO-GRASS MIXTURE .....	51¢
Sow 16 lbs. Per Acre	
CORNELL POULTRY PASTURE MIXTURE..	44¢
Sow 20 lbs. Per Acre	

## Stanley's Crow Repellent

ONE QUART (Enough for four bushels of seed corn)....	\$ 1.75
ONE PINT (Enough for two bushels of seed corn).....	\$ 1.00
ONE-HALF PINT (Enough for one bus. of seed corn)....	\$ .60

## Seed Disinfectants

CERESAN .....	4 oz. 30c .....	1 lb. 80c
		4 lbs. \$2.70
1 lb. Treats 32 bus. Wheat, Oats or Barley		
SEMESAN JR. ....	1½ oz. 15c .....	12 oz. 56c
	1½ oz. Treats one bu. Corn	
SEMESAN-BEL .....	2 oz. 30c .....	1 lb. \$1.65
	1 lb. Treats 60 to 80 bus. Potatoes	4 lbs. \$5.70

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**NEW YORK**









# DIBBLE'S Sweet Corn

We believe that every farmer should grow Sweet Corn so that he may have it available for his table or to sell in the local market. By planting at weekly intervals you can have Corn until frost comes.

The Hybrid Sweet Corns are rapidly replacing the open-pollinated sorts for canning, market gardening or for home use. They are more uniform in size and give larger yields.

We offer five of the best yellow hybrids and list them in order of maturing.

## Open-Pollinated Sweet Corn STOWELL'S EVERGREEN.

The standard white variety maturing in about 95 days. It is an open-pollinated Sweet Corn, very productive and hardy. The ears are 8 to 9 inches long and the stalks will average 8 to 10 feet in height. While the quality of the ear for table use is not as good as the yellow hybrids, the larger ear and stalks make it the best variety to grow when maximum production is desired. It will produce the most amount of fodder and a little Sweet Corn fodder is always desirable. Ten to fourteen pounds will plant one acre.

## Hybrid Sweet Corns

### SPANCROSS.

60 days. Extra early. 23 days earlier than Golden Cross. Resistant to wilt and cold; good yielder; medium size; good quality. Recommended for the first planting.

### MARCCROSS.

65 days. Early. Outstanding for its large uniform ear; wilt resistant and resistant to cold. Good yielder; excellent quality for an early Corn. One of the best for early market.

### CARMELCROSS.

70 days. Early midseason. Wilt resistant; excellent quality for an early Corn. Better yielder than Spancross or Marcross.

### LINCOLN.

77 days. Midseason. Formerly known as Whippcross 23.39. Awarded bronze medal in 1941 All-America trials. A fine, big, midseason variety of uniform tall growth, large eared and of good quality.

### GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM.


83 days. This variety has rapidly replaced open-pollinated sorts for canning, market gardening and home use and is by far the leading variety in cultivation today. Stalks about 6 feet tall with very uniform ears about 8 inches long. Planted at weekly intervals during May and June or even earlier if conditions permit, you will have the best of Sweet Corn throughout the season. Six to seven pounds will plant one acre.

## SWEET CORN GARDEN ASSORTMENT

For the convenience of our customers who who would like Corn throughout the season for their table use, we have put up a garden assortment using the five varieties listed above.

2 ozs. Spancross	4 ozs. Marcross
4 ozs. Carmelcross	4 ozs. Lincoln
1 lb. Golden Cross Bantam	

Plant all five varieties at the first planting and then follow with Golden Bantam at weekly intervals. See special price-list for prices.



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### CORNELL HYBRID 34-53 CORN

A new yellow-kernelled, early, double-cross hybrid derived from inbred strains of Cornell 11. Planted May 15 on our own farms it was fully mature September 1. Although primarily an early grain variety it is also superior for ensilage production in areas where the growing season is short.

Picture above is a typical ear taken at random from the crib.

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